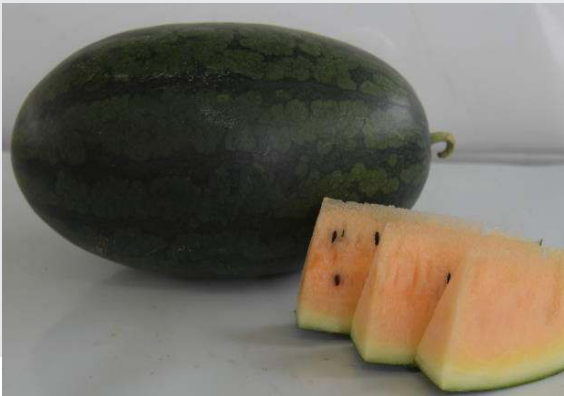


LEAFBIRD F1

diploid watermelon



About:

Leafbird is an orange- flesh, diploid variety covered with dark green skin and very dark green jagged stripes. Maturity is from early to medium coupled with good setting ability that can carry 1.5 fruits per plant. Single fruit weight is 7.7-10 lb while the max can be 12 lb. Its flesh is charming orange in color with less seed, delivering a soft, very sweet, tenuous and crispy texture with 12% brix at the center. The rind is tough enough for storage and transportation.



FEATURES

- Resistance to CMV, PRSV & ZYMV

TRAITS/ DISEASE INFO	DESCRIPTION
Approx. Days to Maturity	55-60 days after transplanting
Flesh Color	Orange
Brix	11.5-12.5%
Rind Thickness	1.0-1.4 cm
Rind Color	Dark Green
Stripes	Medium/ Dentate/ Very Dark Green
Fruit Shape	Elliptic
Size	(9.6-10.5) H x L (6.2-6.4) Inches
Weight	7.7-10.0 lbs.
Plant Density	600-650 plants/7,179 square feet
Waxy Layer	Light
ZYMV (Zucchini Yellow Mosaic Virus)	Resistance
CMV (Cucumber Mosaic Virus)	Resistance
PRSV (Papaya Ringspot Virus)	Resistance

The above recommendations are based mainly on the breeders experience in overseas growing conditions. No liability can be given for their application and use, which will depend on the adaptation to local conditions and phytosanitary regulations.